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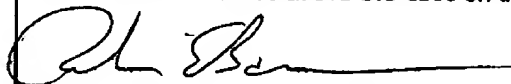
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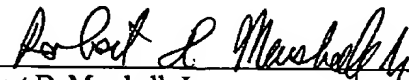
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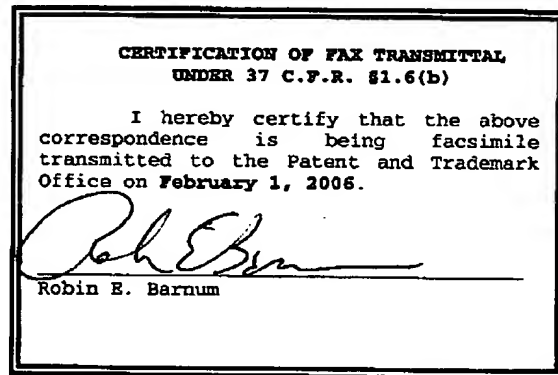
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The following amendments and remarks are offered in response to the Examiner's Office Action dated November 1, 2005. These amendments are respectfully submitted as a full and complete response to that Action.

Please amend the above referenced application as follows:

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